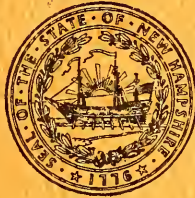


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# EFFINGHAM

NEW HAMPSHIRE



1941 - 42



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# ANNUAL REPORTS

## Town Officers EFFINGHAM New Hampshire



For the Fiscal Year Ending  
JANUARY THIRTY-FIRST  
1942



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## TOWN OFFICERS

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### Moderator

RICHARD DEARBORN

### Town Clerk

JAMES L. WORMWOOD

### Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

CLIFTON M. THURSTON      HAROLD T. POTTER  
BERT W. DAVIS

### Treasurer

FLORENCE L. G. LEAVITT

### Highway Agents

RALPH W. NUTTER      ALBION C. DAVIS  
JESSE WILKINSON

### Tax Collector

WILLIS D. GALE

### Constable

HOWARD F. THURSTON

### Trustees of the Trust Funds

EDITH K. TAYLOR      KATE E. THURSTON  
DAISY M. ROBINSON

### Trustees of Effingham Public Library

FLORENCE MELOON      EDITH K. TAYLOR  
KATE E. THURSTON

### Auditors

WILLIAM R. CLARK      KATE E. THURSTON

### Board of Health

BOARD OF SELECTMEN AND  
FRANK O. LEAVITT, Executive Officer

### Supervisors of the Check List

FRANKLIN C. JONES      WALTER L. ROBINSON  
FRANK O. LEAVITT

## TOWN WARRANT

### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Effingham in the County of Carroll in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Effingham on Tuesday, the Tenth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$370.00 for Town Officers' Salaries.
2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Town Officers' Expenses.
3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for Election and Registration.
4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for Town Hall.
5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for Police Department.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Fire Department and authorize the Selectmen to purchase Fire Fighting Equipment and to reopen exisiting water holes, said work to be done without appropriation.
7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$125.00 for Health Department. This to include gift of \$75.00 to Huggins Hospital.
8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2170.50 for Town Road Maintenance, Summer and Winter.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$435.00 for Street Lighting.
10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$150.00 for General Expense of the Highway Dept.
11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appro-

appropriate the sum of \$554.22 for Town Road Aid.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for Effingham Public Library.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500.00 for Old Age Assistance and Town Poor.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15.00 for Memorial Day.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 for Damages and Legal Expenses.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$240.00 for Soldiers' Aid.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$40.00 for Lakes Region Association.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for Interest.

19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow \$5000.00 if necessary.

20. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money, not to exceed \$6500.00, in anticipation of taxes, to carry on Town work.

21. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any property acquired through Tax Sale and Tax Collector's deed.

22. To see how the Town wishes to dispose of the legacy of \$765.33 left to the Town by the late Georgie F. Parsons. The Selectmen recommend that it be divided between the Library and the Trust Funds for Cemetery care as was desired by Mrs. Parsons.

23. To see if the Town will vote to accept the reports of its agents and Auditors.

24. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing and a member of the Board of Selectmen, a Trustee of the Trust Funds and a Library Trustee for three years.



25. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-third day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-two.

CLIFTON M. THURSTON

HAROLD T. POTTER

BERT W. DAVIS

Selectmen of Effingham

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLIFTON M. THURSTON

HAROLD T. POTTER

BERT W. DAVIS

Selectmen of Effingham



## BUDGET

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Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for Ensuing  
Year February 1, 1942 to January 31, 1943, Compared  
with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of Previous  
Year February 1, 1941 to January 31, 1942.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	1941	1942
From State:		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 67 88	\$ 70 00
Insurance Tax	8 62	9 00
Savings Bank Tax	72 97	75 00
For Fighting Forest Fires	305 71	250 00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	11 97	12 00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	506 81	400 00
Sale of Town Property acquired by Tax Deeds	850 00	600 00
Cash on Hand (Surplus)	1774 14	3675 21
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:		
Poll Taxes	420 00	420 00
National Bank Stock Taxes	5 75	5 75
<b>TOTAL REVENUES</b>	<b>\$3950 88</b>	<b>\$5516 96</b>
Amt. to be raised by Property Tax	<b>\$10624 72</b>	

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	1941	1942
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 370 00	\$ 370 00
Town Officers' Expenses	506 19	500 00
Election and Registration Expenses	28 00	150 00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	32 00	50 00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	3 50	50 00
Fire Department	541 39	500 00

Health:		
Health Dept., including hospitals	180 00	125 00
Vital Statistics	25	
Highways and Bridges:		
Town Maintenance	4321 74	2170 50
Street Lighting	435 00	435 00
General Expenses of Highway		
Department	151 94	150 00
Town Road Aid	552 39	554 22
Libraries	100 00	100 00
Public Welfare:		
Town Poor	1531 36	1500 00
Old Age Assistance	694 37	For Both
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Other		
Celebrations		15 00
Aid to Soldiers and their Families	178 86	240 00
Recreation:		
Parks and Playgrounds,		
including band concerts	40 00	40 00
Interest:		
On Temporary Loans	71 35	30 00
On Bonded Debt	195 00	180 00
On Principal of Trust Funds		
Used by Town	40 00	40 00
Damage and Legal Expense	62 00	300 00
Payment on Principal of Debt:		
Bonds	1000 00	1000 00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
County Taxes	2396 95	2000 00
Payments to School Districts	4350 70	4561 00
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$17782 99</b>	<b>\$15660 72</b>

This Budget approved by the Effingham Budget Committee.

E. FORREST LEAVITT, Chairman  
By C. M. Thurston

### 1941 INVENTORY

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Lands and Buildings		\$355405 00	
Electric Plants		17000 00	
Horses	20	1835 00	
Oxen	8	695 00	
Cows	45	2435 00	
Goats	6	60 00	
Hogs	3	45 00	
Fowl	197	190 00	
Portable Mills	1	600 00	
Wood and Lumber		17000 00	
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks		750 00	
Stock in Trade		1750 00	
Locks and Canals		11325 00	
Machinery		900 00	
Polls		210	\$420 00
National Bank Stock Tax			\$4 75
Amount exempted to War Veterans			\$7050 00

# STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 370 00	
Town Officers' Expenses	500 00	
Election and Registration	100 00	
Town Hall	325 00	
Police Department	50 00	
Fire Department	200 00	
Town Maintenance, Summer and Winter	2949 30	
Town Road Aid	549 50	
Street Lighting	435 00	
General Expense of Highway Department	150 00	
Libraries	100 00	
Soldiers' Aid	150 00	
Town Poor and OAA	1600 00	
Memorial Day	15 00	
Lakes Region	40 00	
Interest	305 00	
Bond Retirement	1000 00	
County Tax	2406 81	
School Tax	4995 37	
Total Town and School		\$16431 12
Less Estimated Credits:		
Int. and Div. Tax	\$ 67 75	
Savings Bank Tax	75 00	
Motor Vehicle Fees	500 00	
Sale of Town Property	700 00	
Tax Sale Redemptions	300 00	
		\$1642 75
		\$14788 37
Plus Overlay		396 66
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		\$15185 03

Less Poll Taxes	\$420 00	
Less Nat. Bank Tax	5 75	
	<hr/>	425 75
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Amount to be raised by Property	
Tax on which Town Tax	
Rate is figured	\$15185 03

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TAXES COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

Property Tax	\$14759 28	
Poll Taxes	420 00	
Nat. Bank Stock Tax	5 75	
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Total Tax Committed to Collector		\$15185 03

## FINANCIAL REPORT

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### ASSETS

Cash on hand Feb. 1st	\$3675 21	
Due from State (Bounties)	60 80	
Due from Sale of Town Property	200 00	
Due on Unredeemed Taxes	2211 56	
Due on Uncollected Taxes	2878 03	
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Total Assets		\$9025 60

### LIABILITIES

Due on Ministerial	\$ 89 40	
Due to School District, Balance Appropriation	2445 37	
Due to School District, Balance Appropriation	31 00	
Bonds outstanding	7000 00	
Trust Funds used by Town	1000 00	
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Total Liabilities		\$10565 60
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Net Debt		\$1540 17

# **TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT** Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1942

## **RECEIPTS**

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1941	\$ 1774 14
Willis D. Gale, Coll., 1941 tax	12325 43
1940 tax	2869 90
1939 tax	14 36
J. L. Wormwood, Clerk,	
Auto Permits	562 50
Dog Tax	31 00
Redeemed taxes	806 34
Carroll County Trust Co.,	
Temporary loans	4000 00
Credit Bond coupons	60 00
Interest refund	25 00
Collector, Interest	11 97
State of New Hampshire,	
Class V Roads	1857 50
Savings Bank Tax	59 38
Int. and Div. Tax	67 88
Refund OAA	52 39
Refund Fire Bills	150 00
Refund Fire Bills	167 26
Sale of Town Property	1226 00
Robert Stuart, Refund	25 00
Gift in interest of Cemeteries and Library	765 33
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Total amount available for year	\$26851 38

## **PAYMENTS**

Selectmen's Orders	\$23170 15
Bank Charges	6 02
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	\$23176 17
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Balance on hand Jan. 31, 1942	\$3675 21

FLORENCE L. G. LEAVITT, Treas.



**AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that we have this day examined the account of the Treasurer of Effingham and found the same to be correct.

KATE E. THURSTON  
WILLIAM R. CLARK

February 24, 1942

Auditors

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Kate E. Thurston, Auditor	\$12 00
William R. Clark, Auditor	12 00
Franklin C. Jones, Supervisor	12 00
Willis D. Gale, Tax Collector	90 00
Florence L. G. Leavitt, Treasurer	50 00
Clifton M. Thurston, Selectman	50 00
Harold T. Potter, Selectman	50 00
Bert W. Davis, Selectman	50 00
James L. Wormwood, Town Clerk	20 00
Howard Thurston, Constable	10 00
Frank O. Leavitt, Health Officer	10 00

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\$366 00

### TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Association N. H. Assessors,	
Membership Fee	\$ 2 00
William R. Clark, Postage	1 41
Carroll County Independent,	
Town Reports, Forms, etc.	92 50
Franklin C. Jones, Mileage	1 50
Willis D. Gale, Fees and expenses	33 45
William R. Wentworth, Officers'	
Bonds	62 00
James L. Wormwood, Fees and	
Supplies	62 80
Harold T. Potter, Time, Mileage,	
Expense	62 35
Clifton M. Thurston, Time, Mileage,	
Expense	72 20
Bert W. Davis, Time, Mileage,	
Expense	29 10
William Boisclair, Probate list	10
Kathryn Carter, Conveyance list	
and fees	27 09

Wheeler and Clark, office supplies	4 20
Edson C. Eastman, office supplies	6 06
Snow and Peysar, Legal aid (1936)	13 00
Kate E. Thurston, Postage	1 00
Harold Ward, moving camp	2 00
Town Clerks' Association, membership	2 00
Evelyn Twombly, Membership for Collector	2 00
Florence L. G. Leavitt, Postage	
M. O. Fees	22 83
Preston Smart, Discharging Tax Sales	4 60

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\$506 19

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#### ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Richard Dearborn, Moderator	\$ 5 00
Arthur Meloon, Ballot Clerk	3 00
Aldo Moody, Ballot Clerk	3 00
Douglas Chapman, Ballot Clerk	3 00
William Thurston, Ballot Clerk	3 00
Carroll Co. Ind., Ballots	11 00

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\$28 00

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#### TOWN HALL

Frank W. Roberts, safe	\$25 00
Charles A. Sprague, janitor service	3 00
Harry F. Nelson, kindling	4 00

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\$32 00

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#### POLICE DEPARTMENT

Rufus Edwards, care of tramp	\$2 00
Jennie B. Worster, care of tramp	1 50

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\$3 50

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

R. Dearborn, Warden, payrolls	\$262 21
R. Dearborn, express paid	1 25
H. Wormstead, Warden, payroll	72 30
State Forestry Dept., equipment	55 23
Kezar Falls Fire Dept.	50 00
Center Ossipee Fire Dept.	99 00
Gerald Barnard	1 40

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\$541 39

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BOUNTIES

Bert Davis, cash paid out	\$4 20
Harold Potter, cash paid out	4 80
Clifton Thurston	4 20

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\$13 20

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HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Ralph Nutter, payroll, covering dump	\$30 00
Huggins Hospital, appropriation	150 00

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\$180 00

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VITAL STATISTICS

Edwin F. Remick, death certificate	25
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SUMMER HIGHWAY

Ralph W. Nutter, Agent	\$310 52
Frank Roberts	70 76
William Blanchard	68 88
C. Nicklin	18 08
P. Thompson	92 13
L. Stevens	12 00
G. Downs	12 00
R. Dearborn	52 05
Ray Ward	6 00

H. Ward	6 00
A. Moody	1 50
G. Barnard	3 20
A. S. Ward	3 45
M. Thurston	24 37
S. Belinsky	2 87
J. Nicklin	3 37
C. Littlefield	54 00
C. Drake	2 50
L. Hill	18 00
E. E. Leavitt	5 55
E. F. Leavitt	30
E. Downs	4 41
Huckins Lumber Co.	51 15
C. A. Sprague	11 25
R. Hill	6 75
F. Condon	3 00
R. Edwards	9 00
R. Jones	24 00
R. Sanborn	43 50
P. C. Marston, M.D.	65 00
Maine General Hospital	57 50
Jesse Wilkinson, Agent	290 62
A. Sprague	9 75
R. Libby	2 25
A. Meloon	12 37
J. Beckwith	15 00
C. Littlefield	16 12
W. Duffy	25 00
White's Garage	4 73
H. Tallman	38 25
E. Phillips	4 50
T. Phillips	1 50
H. Bean	5 25
O. Ford	3 00
G. Keniston	5 00
F. Davis	3 00
F. Roberts	5 00

P. Thompson	3 00
R. Jones	3 00
Albion Davis, Agent	225 73
L. Davis	13 67
F. Davis	73 60
J. Beckwith	79 30
J. Pike	11 36
V. Emerson	59 41
H. Nelson	10 00
L. Linscott	37 67
C. Russell	12 75
A. Wilcox	46 53
C. Thurston	2 50
E. Varney	93
H. Tallman	79 20
O. Ford	29 61
B. Davis	1 12
I. Davis	1 12
A. Fulton	50
A. Helme	75
Huckins Lumber	44 39
Wm. Fulton	9 50
P. Beckwith	1 67
A. Cook	18 62
W. Robinson	14 62
W. Thurston	3 55
H. Bower	12 00
G. Keniston	27 81
L. Abbott	12 00
Galion Iron Works, final pay- ment, grader	149 08
Galion Iron Works, grader parts	1 16
Ray Road Equip., grader parts	1 95
White's Garage	4 73

Huckins Lumber Co.	12 97	
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Total Summer Highway		2466 65
State Aid Class V		1857 50
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Net Cost to Town		\$609 15

#### WINTER HIGHWAY

Ralph Nutter, Agent	\$197 94
H. Nutter	50 08
F. Roberts	46 13
P. Thompson	34 33
L. Stevens	9 00
R. Emerson	1 13
R. Nelson	27 94
H. Nelson	125 76
A. Wheeler	11 25
R. Sanborn	5 01
R. Jones	16 63
R. Dearborn	6 38
M. Thurston	12 76
H. Potter	9 38
H. Pray	1 40
L. Hill	3 00
A. Ward	3 15
E. Downs	39
A. Davis	6 00
C. Thurston	1 50
C. Sprague	8 26
J. Edwards	6 56
F. Condon	3 00
S. Taylor	3 00
G. Downs	15 00
W. Blanchard	5 25
R. Edwards	1 50
R. Hill	1 88
G. Barnard	3 00
C. Nicklin	9 00



J. Nicklin	3 00
E. E. Leavitt	4 85
Jesse Wilkinson, Agent	28 12
A. Meloon	4 50
A. Sprague	3 74
H. Tallman	1 12
P. Thompson	4 12
F. Roberts	5 00
G. Keniston	5 00
O. Ford	3 00
J. Beckwith	2 25
R. Jones	3 00
F. Davis	3 00
Albion Davis, Agent	298 36
J. Pike	13 50
L. Linscott	13 50
A. Helme	5 00
White's Garage	5 92
G. Keniston	15 37
L. Abbott	18 75
V. Emerson	12 37
K. Thurston	14 50
W. Gale	10 87
W. Fulton	6 50
A. Fulton	1 40
L. Kraus	2 00
C. Thurston	4 00
O. Ford	19 59
L. Davis	50 79
F. Davis	18 37
P. Beckwith	6 49
A. Wilcox	48 91
H. Bower	6 00
I. Davis	2 25
J. Beckwith	7 87
Home Garage	3 75
Town of Wakefield, plowing	20 00
Meredith Grain Co., salt	42 00

Ossipee Ins. Co., tractor ins.	4 00	
Maine Steel, plow parts	21 00	
Dyar Sales, new Western plow	435 00	
H. Potter, cash paid, freight	20 80	
Total Winter Highway includ-		
ing purchase of new snow plow		\$1856 09

#### TOWN ROAD AID

State of New Hampshire	\$552 39
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Work done on Mail and School Bus routes as recommended by State Highway Department and approved by Selectmen:

From home of William Dietzel to George Keniston's.

From Champion Cemetery to near home of Arthur Sprague.

From former home of Harry Nelson to near home of Herbert White.

#### STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$435 00
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#### GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY DEPT.

Ralph Nutter, travel	\$ 8 85	
C. Thurston, painting Falls bridge	41 00	
M. Thurston, painting Falls bridge	35 00	
M. Thurston, storage of grader	10 00	
R. Stuart, paint acct. Falls bridge	25 00	
W. Thurston, repairs Falls bridge	3 00	
Huckins Lumber Co., Falls bridge	28 34	
Town of Freedom, signs	75	
		\$151 94

#### LIBRARIES

Trustees Effingham Library, 1941 App.	\$100 00
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## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	\$694 37
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## TOWN POOR

Relief Expense	\$1531 36
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## SOLDIERS' AID

Expense Soldiers' Aid	\$178 86
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## LAKES REGION

Lakes Region Association, 1941 Appro.	\$40 00
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## MINISTERIAL

Treas. Calvin Baptist Church	\$15 42
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## DAMAGE AND LEGAL EXPENSE

Preston Smart, deeds	\$22 00	
Ralph Marsh, legal advice	5 00	
Rolland R. Rasquin, legal advice	35 00	
		\$62 00

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## MISCELLANEOUS

Benjamin Hamilton, payment of loan to Timber Salvage Committee	\$25 00	
W. D. Gale, refund of money overpaid	16 77	
W. D. Gale, tax sale costs	121 02	
Albert Wilcox, acct. Watt's tax rebate	4 79	
Rufus Hill, yarding town wood	5 00	
E. F. Leavitt, rebate on tax paid twice	9 00	
F. W. Roberts, First Aid Kits	5 40	
		\$186 98

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## INTEREST

Carroll County Trust Co., interest on temporary loans	\$96 25
Trustees of Emma Browning Leland Fund interest 1940-42	80 00
Carroll Co. Trust Co., interest on bonds	210 00
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	386 25

Less \$60.00 refunded by bank due to their error on bond interest and re-fund of \$25.00 on temporary loan	
Net interest payments	\$301 25

## TEMPORARY LOANS

Carroll County Trust Co., in full	\$4000 00
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## BOND RETIREMENT

(Payment on Town Debt)

Carroll County Trust Company	\$1000 00
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## PAYMENTS TO COUNTY

Treas. Carroll County, interest on 1940 tax	\$ 9 86
1941 County Tax	2396 95
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	\$2406 81

## PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

Effingham School District	\$4350 70
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## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen of Effingham and found the same to be correct.

KATE E. THURSTON

WILLIAM R. CLARK

Feb. 24, 1942

Auditors

## EFFINGHAM PUBLIC LIBRARY

## REPORT OF TREASURER

## RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1941	\$ 8 40	
From Abbie A. Wedgwood Fund	8 04	
From Emma B. Leland Fund	10 05	
From Town Treasurer	100 00	
	<hr/>	\$126 49

## EXPENDITURES

Readers Digest	\$ 5 00	
Library Book House, for books	51 70	
Clarissa L. Taylor, for magazines	13 75	
Clarissa L. Taylor, services		
as Librarian	50 00	
Bank Charges	1 12	
Balance	4 92	
	<hr/>	\$126 49

## TRUST FUNDS

### RECEIPTS

#### Cemetery Funds:

Abbie A. Wedgwood	\$ 8 04
David W. Goldsmith	2 01
Martha J. Sceggel	2 01
John H. Flanders	3 01
Evelyn M. Downs	1 00
Effingham Falls Cemetery Association	21 39
Anna M. Taylor	2 01
Alice G. Milliken	2 01
William S. Bryant	4 02
Frank Emmons	3 01
John V. Granville	1 50
Ebenezer Smith	1 00
David W. Downs	1 00
Milton C. Morse	4 02
Joseph W. Philbrick	3 01
Amasa H. Davis	2 01
Maria Marston	2 01
Jonathan Hobbs	2 01
Cora L. Leavitt	2 84

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\$67 91

#### Library Funds:

Abbie A. Wedgwood	\$ 8 04
Emma B. Leland	10 05

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\$18 09

Abigail Drake School Fund	\$ 8 79
"Silent Poor" Fund	40 00

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48 79

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\$134 79

## EXPENDITURES

## Care of Cemetery Lots:

Richard Dearborn: Hobbs, Hill and Philbrick lots	\$ 6 00	
Walter L. Robinson: Davis Cemetery Lots	13 50	
H. T. Potter: Taylor Cemetery	2 01	
Kenneth E. Thurston: Falls Cemetery	26 00	
William Blanchard: Morse lot	2 85	
Center Cemetery	8 75	
Harold T. Potter: Morse lot	1 25	
Center Cemetery	7 25	
	<hr/>	\$68 49

## Emma B. Leland Library Fund,

Paid to Library Treasurer	\$10 05
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## Abbie A. Wedgwood Library Fund

Paid to Library Treasurer	8 04
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\$18 09

EDITH K. TAYLOR

KATE E. THURSTON

DAISY M. ROBINSON

Trustees of Trust Funds

## "Silent Poor" Fund:

Check No. 17	\$17 00
Check No. 20	10 00
Check No. 31	10 00

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\$37 00

KATE E. THURSTON, Treas.

WILLIS D. GALE

ARTHUR P. MELOON

Trustees



Abigail Drake School Fund:

Paid to Treas. School District	\$8 79
KATE E. THURSTON, Trustee	

KATE E. THURSTON, Trustee

**REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF EFFINGHAM, N. H., FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1942**

Date of Creation	PURPOSE OF FUND	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Balance of Income at be- ginning of year	Income dur- ing year	Expended during year	Bal. of in- come on hand at end of year
1870	Abigail Drake	School Fund	%		8.79	8.79	
1912	Abbie A. Wedgewood	Library Fund			8.04	8.04	
1912	Abbie A. Wedgewood	Cemetery Fund			11.50	11.50	7.24
1914	David W. Goldsmith	Cemetery Fund		10.70	8.04		15.73
1916	Martha Seegel	" "		15.84	2.01	2.12	14.47
1922	John H. Planders	" "		14.58	3.01	2.14	31.94
1928	Evelyn M. Downs	" "		31.07	1.00	1.00	
1928	Effingham Falls Cemetery	Ass'n. Fund			21.39	21.39	
1929	Anna M. Taylor	Cemetery Fund			2.01	2.01	
1931	Alice G. Milliken	" "		5.57	2.01	2.25	5.33
1931	Frank Emmons	" "		.94	3.01	2.60	1.35
1931	John V. Granville	" "		3.96	1.50	4.00	1.46
1932	William S. Bryant	" "		13.05	4.02		17.07
1932	Emma R. Leonard	Library Fund			10.05	10.05	
1933	"Silent Door"	" "			40.00	37.00	104.00
1933	Blenezer Smith	Cemetery Fund		101.00			
1935	David W. Downs	" "		.65	1.00	1.00	.65
1935	David W. Downs	" "			1.00	1.00	
1936	Milton C. Morse	" "		7.50	4.02	4.10	7.42
1936	Joseph W. Philbrick	" "		3.23	3.01	2.25	3.99
1937	Annesta M. Davis	" "			2.01	2.01	
1938	Maria Marten	" "		.68	2.01	2.12	.57
1939	Jonathan Hobbs	" "			2.01	1.50	.51
1940	Cora L. Leavitt	" "			2.84	2.50	.34
				\$211.77	\$134.79	\$134.49	\$215.07
				Bank service	Charge	.32	.32
						\$131.81	\$214.75

### TOWN CEMETERY FUND

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#### RECEIPTS

Balance February 1, 1941	\$51 94
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#### EXPENDITURES

John Nicklin, work on Lamper and Leavitt cemeteries	\$ 6 75
Richard Dearborn, work on Albert Hobbs cemetery, Eben Taylor cemetery, Edwards and Clough cemetery, Levi Morse cemetery, lot with no stone on Lucas place, Edwards lot on old road, John Stitson cemetery	7 50
Balance	37 69
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	\$51 94

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### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

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This is to certify that I have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of Effingham Public Library, Cemetery and Library Trust Funds, "Silent Poor" Fund, Abigail Drake School Fund and Town Cemetery Fund and found the same to be correct.

W. R. CLARK, Auditor

Feb. 27, 1942.

ANNUAL REPORT  
EFFINGHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Fiscal Year July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941  
Summary of Income and Expense from July 1, 1941  
to February 1, 1942  
District Officers

School Board

HAROLD T. POTTER  
MABEL A. BECKWITH  
MARTHA M. THURSTON

Clerk of District

JAMES L. WORMWOOD

Moderator

RICHARD DEARBORN

Treasurer

FLORENCE L. G. LEAVITT

Auditors

KATE E. THURSTON  
WILLIAM R. CLARK

Truant Officer

FRANK A. PIKE

Superintendent of Schools

FRANK W. JACKSON, to Oct. 1941  
HAROLD A. TRUELL, from Oct. 1941

## FINANCIAL REPORT

## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

## Fiscal Year

## Administration:

Salaries of District Officers	\$ 81 00
Superintendent's Salary	120 78
Truant Officer	10 00
Expense of Administration	28 82

## Instruction:

Teachers' Salaries	3061 95
Text Books	107 43
Scholars' Supplies	66 64
Flags & Appurtenances	12 58
Other Expenses of Instruction	15 22

## Operation and Maintenance:

Janitor Service	111 00
Fuel	139 25
Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies	65 35
Minor Repairs and Expenses	135 88

## Auxiliary Agencies and

## Special Activities:

Medical Inspection	128 64
Transportation of Pupils	1218 00
High School Tuition	792 68
Elementary School Tuition	117 00
Other Special Activities	35 08

## Outlay for Construction

## and Equipment:

Alterations of Old Buildings	132 55
New Equipment	8 28
Per Capita Tax	152 00

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Total Payments	\$6540 13
Charges on Account deducted by bank	54
Total Outlay	\$6540 67

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## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

1940-41 Appropriation from		
Town	\$3736	70
Part 1941-42 Appropriation		
from Town	100	00
State Aid	1851	03
Dog Licenses (from Selectmen)	74	00
School Lot Fund	40	00
Abigail Drake School Fund	10	05
Town of Parsonsfield, Tuition	52	00
Freedom School District	144	00
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		\$6007 78
Cash on hand June 30, 1940		604 79
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Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year	\$6612	57
Total Outlay	6540	67
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Cash on hand June 30, 1941		\$71 90

## DETAIL OF PAYMENTS

## SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

Mabel A. Beckwith	\$ 28	33
Harold T. Potter	18	34
Pauline A. Chapman	18	33
William R. Clark	3	00
Kate E. Thurston	3	00
Florence L. G. Leavitt	10	00
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		\$ 81 00

## SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

Treas. State of N. H.	120	78
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### TRUANT OFFICER

Frank A. Pike	10 00
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### EXPENSE OF ADMINISTRATION

Mabel A. Beckwith	3 05
Harold T. Potter	7 26
F. W. Jackson	18 51
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	28 82

### TEACHERS' SALARIES

Gladys Leavitt	\$ 991 60
Bertha E. Moody	1000 00
Grace Ferrick	212 85
Kathleen Seabury	857 50
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	3061 95

### TEXT BOOKS

Ginn and Co.	39 67
Row, Peterson Co.	19 26
Curtis Publishing Co.	6 00
The McMillan Co.	7 49
American Ed. Press	19 60
Silver, Burdett Co.	4 77
L. W. Singer Co.	6 84
Bruce Pub. Co.	3 80
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	107 43

### SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

Benj. Sanborn Co.	3 87
Laidlaw Bros.	11 78
E. E. Babb	40 23
F. W. Jackson	6 58
Ginn and Co.	4 24
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	66 64



### FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

E. E. Babb	12 08	
F. W. Jackson	50	
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		12 58

### OTHER EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

F. W. Jackson	15 22	
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### JANITOR SERVICE

Ruth Wheeler	16 00	
Betsy Moody	21 00	
Robert Davis	37 00	
Ralph Ward, Jr.	37 00	
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		111 00

### FUEL

Estate B. F. Brownell	40 00	
George M. Downs	44 75	
William Fulton	46 00	
Harry F. Nelson	7 00	
Malcolm Emack	1 50	
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		139 25

### WATER, LIGHT AND JANITORS' SUPPLIES

Public Service Co.	31 36	
Cheshire Chem. Co.	18 41	
P&G Distrib. Co.	4 00	
F. W. Jackson	2 98	
I. A. Forrest	2 00	
E. E. Babb Co.	6 60	
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		65 35

## MINOR REPAIRS

Charles A. Sprague	4 50	
Aldo Moody	45 00	
Milton Bradley Co.	15 58	
E. E. Babb Co.	5 00	
Harry Worster	27 55	
Munroe Carlton	1 38	
Huckins Lumber Co.	19 39	
F. W. Jackson	1 21	
W. M. Fulton	7 50	
Texas Co.	87	
Mrs. Aldo Moody	3 00	
Jennie Worster	3 50	
Carroll Cty. Land and Lumber	1 40	
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## MEDICAL INSPECTION

Ruth Allen, R. N.	128 64
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## TRANSPORTATION

Daisy Robinson	543 00	
Mary Judkins	459 00	
Rebecca Sanborn	180 00	
Freedom School Dist.	36 00	
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## HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Town of Porter	70 00	
Parsonsfield Seminary	400 00	
Ossipee School Dist.	322 68	
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## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

Freedom School District	72 00	
Ossipee School District	45 00	
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## OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

F. W. Jackson	4 01	
Mrs. C. A. Sprague	14 40	
Ethel Lothian	75	
Hanaford Brothers	4 17	
Pauline Chapman	62	
William Fulton	4 08	
Ethel Nutter	4 65	
E. E. Babb Co.	2 40	
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## ALTERATIONS OF OLD BUILDINGS

Aldo Moody	30 00	
Bert Beckwith, Jr.	3 05	
Huckins Lumber Co.	99 50	
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## NEW EQUIPMENT

E. E. Babb Co.	4 60	
F. W. Jackson	3 68	
	<hr/>	8 28

## PER CAPITA TAX

State of New Hampshire	152 00
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## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have this day examined the accounts of the School Board of the School District of Effingham, N. H., and find the same to be correct.

KATE E. THURSTON

W. R. CLARK

July 12, 1941

Auditors

### SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1942-1943

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1942.

#### DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Support of Schools	Elementary	
Teachers' Salaries	\$2850 00	
Text Books	120 00	
Scholars' Supplies	150 00	
Flags and Appurtenances	10 00	
Other Expenses of Instruction	50 00	
Janitor Service	150 00	
Fuel	165 00	
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	75 00	
Minor Repairs and Expenses	150 00	
Health Supervision (Med. Ins.)	200 00	
Transportation of Pupils	1300 00	
Payment of Elementary Tuition	75 00	
Other Special Activities	50 00	
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		\$5345 00
Other Statutory Requirements:		
Salaries of District Officers		
(Fixed by District)	86 00	
Truant Officer and School Census		
(Fixed by District)	10 00	
Payment of Tuition	1700 00	
Superintendent's Excess Salary		
(Fixed by Supervisory Union)	115 00	
Per Capita Tax	164 00	
*Other Obligations imposed by law		
or established by district	100 00	
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		2175 00
Total amount required to meet		<hr/>
School Board's Budget		\$7520 00

## ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

Balance June 30, 1942 (estimate)	\$500 00
State Aid (Dec. 1942 allotment)	2209 00
Dog Tax (estimate)	50 00
Income from Trust Funds (estimate)	50 00
Elementary School Tuition	150 00
Deduct total estimated income—————	
not raised by taxation	2959 00
Assessment required to balance	—————
School Board's Budget	\$4561 00

HAROLD T. POTTER

MABEL A. BECKWITH

MARTHA M. THURSTON

School Board

\*This item includes legal obligations such as judgments, orders of State Board of Health on complaint, necessary rent and costs of authorized administration and insurance. Repairs in excess of 5% of the school money, new equipment and major construction must be raised under special articles in the warrant.

**REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER**

Fiscal Year July 1, 1940 to June 30, 1941

Cash on hand June 30, 1940	\$604 79	
Received from:		
Selectmen, current year app.	3836 70	
Selectmen, Dog Tax	74 00	
Kate E. Thurston, Treas. Trust Fund	10 05	
State of N. H., State Aid	1851 03	
School Lot Fund	40 00	
Tuition	196 00	
Total Amount Available		\$6612 57
Less School Board orders plus		
54¢ bank service charge		6540 67
Balance on hand June 30, 1941		\$71 90

**AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that we have examined the account of the Treasurer of the School District of Effingham and found the same to be correct.

KATE E. THURSTON

W. R. CLARK

July 12, 1941

Auditors

Period July 1, 1941 to January 31, 1942

**RECEIPTS**

Cash on hand July 1, 1941	\$ 71 90
Received from:	
Town of Effingham	2450 00

State of N. H., State Aid	2011 24	
Kate E. Thurston, Treas. Trust Fund	8 79	
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Total Amount Available		\$4541 93
Less School Board Orders Paid		3255 72
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Balance on hand Feb. 1, 1942		\$1286 21

FLORENCE L. G. LEAVITT, Treas.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board of Effingham:

I herewith submit my first annual report which is the first in the series of such reports.

### Union No. 36

The eight school districts of Brookfield, Effingham, Freedom, Madison, Middleton, Ossipee, Tamworth, and Wakefield continue to comprise this supervisory union. The union expense of administration is as follows: Brookfield, 1.60%; Effingham, 7.87%; Freedom, 6.04%; Madison, 12.43%; Middleton, 3.31%; Ossipee, 30.90%; Tamworth, 20.41%; Wakefield, 17.44%. The above percentages are based on the pupil registration in the various towns.

### ENROLLMENT

Enrollment as of January 31, 1942

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Totals
Ctr. Effingham	7	6	1	0	3	5	3	5	30
Effingham Falls	1	4	5	6	5	1	4	1	27
So. Effingham	4	2	0	4	0	2	1	1	14
Boys	4	9	3	6	2	4	6	3	37
Girls	8	3	3	4	6	4	2	4	34

Tuition pupils at South Effingham School, January 31, 1942 — 4.

The schools at Effingham are going along very smoothly. This is due mainly to the fine spirit which prevails between parents, teachers, and pupils. Many hot lunches have been served at the schools aided greatly by the supply of surplus commodities which has been given to the Effingham schools. We appreciate the interest shown by the teachers in serving these lunches to the pupils because without their interest and support the noon program could not be carried out successfully.



I suggest that consideration be given to the improvement of the toilets at the Effingham Falls school. New septic tanks could be installed at a comparatively low figure thereby greatly improving the present conditions. As they exist at the present time it does not seem that we are considering the health of the pupils as primary.

I wish to express my appreciation to the School Board, teachers, pupils, parents, and friends for their cooperation in making the schools in Effingham a success.

Respectfully submitted,  
HAROLD A. TRUELL

42/2/13

Superintendent of Schools

### STATISTICS

Number of weeks in school year	37
Average number of half days in session	360
Average number of sessions lost from all causes	10
Number of one-room schools maintained	3
Whole number of different pupils registered:	72
Boys, 35; Girls, 37; Total	72
Enrollment by grades:	
I-13; II-9; III-9; IV-11; V-4; VI-12; VII-7;	
VIII-7; Total	72
Average membership in elementary schools	68.88
Average daily attendance in elementary schools	65.90
Percent of attendance in schools for year	95.67
Number of cases of tardiness in all schools	45
Number not absent nor tardy during year	8
Pupils transported at district expense	36
Average salary of teachers	\$908.33
Number of visits made to schools by:	
School Board members	5
Superintendent	90
Citizens (including special occasions)	59
Number of School Board meetings held	14

## PERFECT ATTENDANCE

School Year 1940-1941

Center Effingham School: Catherine Moody, Harry  
Moody, Chester Lothian, Jr., Alice Moody, Betsy Moody.  
Effingham Falls: Mildred Bower, Janet Thurston.  
South Effingham: Roy Judkins.

**EFFINGHAM NURSE'S REPORT**

Report of the School Nurse since Sept. 2nd, 1941

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Pupils examined	74
School visits	30

All of the children have been weighed and measured. Vision tests have been completed.

Three children, who were found to have impaired vision, were taken to Dr. Clark in Sanford, Me. Their eyes were tested and glasses obtained.

A successful Dental Clinic was held December 4th and 5th. Dr. Deneault of Meredith, N. H., was the attending Dentist. A summary of the Clinic shows that 52 pupils were treated with a total of 153 operations.

Due to the change in the school nurse it is impossible to give a full detailed account of the work done in the past year.

I wish to express my appreciation for the co-operation of the Superintendent, School Board, Teachers, Parents and Red Cross of the Community.

Respectfully submitted,

EVA A. HENEY, R.N.

## VITAL STATISTICS

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### BIRTHS

April 20, 1941, in Wolfeboro, N. H., to Percy Clifton Taylor and Virginia Frazier of Effingham, N. H., a son, Brian Rhodes Taylor.

July 15, 1941, in Ossipee, N. H., to Ernest Harris Bean and Lavinia Zita Crockett, of Effingham, N. H., a daughter, Patricia Irene Bean.

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### MARRIAGES

Name of Groom, Herbert E. Thompson; Name of Bride, Florence E. Bailey; Place of Marriage, Conway, N. H.; Date of Marriage, Nov. 15, 1941; Residence of Groom, Effingham, N. H.; Residence of Bride, Bristol, N. H.; By Whom Married, Leslie C. Hill, Justice of the Peace, Conway, N. H.; Groom's father, John G. Thompson, Center Ossipee, N. H.; Groom's mother, Alice T. Snow, Center Ossipee, N. H.; Bride's father, Harry Bailey, Bristol, N. H.; Bride's mother, Alta Braley, Bristol, N. H.

Name of Groom, Robert N. Rogers; Name of Bride, Verna M. Sanborn; Place of Marriage, Effingham, N. H.; Date of Marriage, June 14, 1941; Residence of Groom, Waltham, Mass.; Residence of Bride, Effingham, N. H.; By Whom Married, Edward E. Lewis, Clergyman, Ossipee, N. H.; Groom's father, Amos Rogers, Waltham, Mass; Groom's mother, Kate Sherry, Waltham, Mass.; Bride's father, Arthur C. Sanborn, Effingham, N. H.; Bride's mother, Mary E. Chase, Effingham, N. H.

Name of Groom, Roswell Murray Boutwell, Jr.; Name of Bride, Anna Pauline MacMinn; Place of Marriage, Ossipee, N. H.; Date of Marriage, August 26, 1941; Residence of Groom, Effingham, N. H.; Residence of Bride, Effingham, N. H.; By Whom Married, Edward A. Lewis, Clergyman, Ossipee, N.

H.; Groom's father, Roswell M. B. Boutwell; Groom's mother, Jeanne Russell, Winchester, Mass.; Bride's father, Charles L. MacMinn, Newton, Mass.; Bride's mother, Anne Louise Curry, Newton, Mass.

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### DEATHS

Name, Frank Lafrance; Age, 80 years, 1 month, 13 days; Residence, Effingham, N. H.; Place and date of death, Effingham, N. H., January 24, 1941; Father's name, Peter Lafrance; Mother's maiden name, Unknown; Person reporting death, Francis J. C. Dube, M.D., Ctr. Ossipee, N. H.

Name, Harriet Emma Philbrook; Age, 79 years, 11 days; Residence, Effingham, N. H.; Place and date of death, Effingham, N. H., Jan. 29, 1941; Father's name, Daniel Thurston; Mother's maiden name, Mary Littlefield; Person reporting death, Edwin C. Remick, M.D., Tamworth, N. H.

Name, Ida May Stevens; Age, 76 years, 3 months, 8 days; Residence, Effingham, N. H.; Place and date of death, Wolfeboro, N. H., June 25, 1941; Father's name, Lifelette Williams; Mother's maiden name, Lyda Allen; Person reporting death, Francis J. C. Dube, M.D., Ctr. Ossipee, N. H.

Name, Harry L. Worster; Age, 58 years, 2 months, 19 days; Residence, Effingham, N. H.; Place and date of death, Effingham, N. H., Feb. 27, 1941; Father's name, John H. Worster; Mother's maiden name, Viola Rhodes; Person reporting death, P. C. Marston, M.D., Kezar Falls, Me.

Name, Arthur C. Sanborn; Age, 67 years, 7 months, 11 days; Residence, Effingham, N. H.; Place and date of death, Effingham, N. H., July 13, 1941; Father's name, Clinton Sanborn; Mother's maiden name, Ellen Smith; Person reporting death, Magnus G. Ridlon, M.D., Kezar Falls, Me.

Name, Jessie M. Thomas; Age, 57 years, 1 month, 11 days; Residence, Effingham, N. H.; Place and date

of death, Effingham, N. H., September 5, 1941; Father's name, James E. Clancy; Mother's maiden name, Frances Wonson; Person reporting death, P. C. Marston, M.D., Kezar Falls, Me.

Name, John B. Taylor; Age, 85 years, 3 months, 16 days; Residence, Effingham, N. H.; Place and date of death, Effingham, N. H., October 28, 1941; Father's name, William Taylor; Mother's maiden name, Hannah M. Campbell; Person reporting death, J. Bradley Varnum, M.D., Ctr. Ossipee, N. H.





